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COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 3, 2003

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 3, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

The current listing of Claims begin on page 2. The claims have not been amended by this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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